The Weather.

INDICATIONS TO-DAY. OFFICE OF CHIEF SIGNAL OFFICER, WASHINGTON, May 16, 1879 For the middle Atlantic states, falling followed by rising barometer, southeast whide, shirting to cooler north and west, light rains followed by clearing weather.

The following is the readings of the thermometer at the Signal Office during the day: 7 a.m., 67°; 7:35 a.m., 67°; 19 midday, 77°; 2 p.m., 78°; maximum, 81.5°; minimum, 64.5°.

LOCAL NEWS.

Amusements, &c., To-night. Theater Comique.—Varieties, Burlesque opera, and Pinafore Minstrels.

Tallmadge Hall .- Musical and literary entertaloment by the Uetty Club. Odd Fellows' Hall .- Entertainment by Calanthe Lodge, K. of P. Calvary Baptist Church,-Cantata of Flora's

Condensed Locals.

Street lamps will be lighted at 7:20 p. m., and extinguished at 3:15 a. m. The police trial committee were engaged yesterday investigating the alleged beating of an insane youth near Uniontown, last Friday afternoon, by Officers Cahill and Rank. The case was not concluded. The testimony thus far is said to be in favor of the officers.

The revival meetings at Hamline M. E. Church this week have been the most successful yet held. During the past week 70 persons have knelt at the altar seeking religion, and the interest is increasing. On Sabbath afternoon and night Rev. Mr. Harrison will have his farewell services. About midnight last night Officer Teeple found a living colored female infant on Massa-

chusetts avenue, between 2d and 3d streets northwest. It was sent to St. Ann's Infant J. Shillington sends Harper's Magazine for

From J. C. Parker we have Harper's Magaziae, Demorest's Monthly, Godey's Lady's Book, Peter-terson's Ladies Magazine; all for June, and Harper's Bazar for May 31.

Are Married Women Nonentities at Law in the District of Columbia? A case of peculiar interest was tried in the Circuit Court on Wednesday. The plaintiff, Mr. Alex. Gardner, by direction of the defendant, Mrs. Senator Sprague, daughter of the late Chief Justice Chase, made a series of photo-graphs of the library of her father, the com-mission of President Lincoln to her father, &c., all of which met ner approval according to the testimony of plaintiff's witnesses. The plea set up for not paying for the photographs is that she is a married woman and had no separate estate. The distinguished defendant came into court attended by General Sherman, and on taking the stand made answer to her counsel that she was a married woman and did not own that she was a married woman and did not own any separate estate. On cross-examination separate estate was explained to her to be the estate either personal or real which she had inberited from her father and owned apart and independent of her husband, Senator Sprague, and she again stated that she owned no sepa-rate estate in this District. Counsel for plain-tiff then produced in evidence the will of the late Chief Justice as recorded, which passed enly the personality, the will being faulty on account of being improperly witnessed. The account of personality showed over the country of t which was the separate property of defendant and her sister, Mrs. Hoyt. The testimony of defendant, it is held, should have been given before Congress passed the act exempting Edgewood from payment of taxes, as in the face of her own testimony that she did not own separate estate in this District, that body would hardly have exempted the property of Governor Sprague. The court held that Mrs. Sprague was a nonentity in law, and as a matter of crurse the plaintiff lost his suit. W. P. Bell for plaintiff, and Merrick & Morris for defendant.

The Future of the Colored Race. MARSHAL DOUGLASS ON THE EXODUS, ETC.

Last evening Marshal Douglass delivered a lecture, at the school house at Benning's, for the benefit of the Sunday school there. He has a full audience, composed of white and colored citizens, who for two hours gave him the closest attention. Mr. Harly presided, and introduced the speaker in a complimentary manner, referring to the fact that he had heard him recture ring to the fact that he had heard him lecture in Belfast, Ireland, thirty-four years since. Mr. Douglass made a characteristic address, in which he spoke of the improvement and elevation of the colored race, and also referred to the exodus. He believed that it had nearly spent itself. It arose out of a feeling of despair induced by a narrow view of the present out-look for the negro. For himself he was exceedingly hopeful, for the omens north and south portend an improved feeling and higher measare of justice to the race than he had seen at any time. He commended his people to patience, industry, frugality, fidelity to engagements, neatness of person, and respectful consideration of the rights of the people among whom they may be located, and quoted the maxim of a French orator that the liberty of one man ends where that of another begins. He would not have them to be servile or sycophantic, nor, on the other hand, arrogant. phantic, nor, on the other hand, arrogant. He believed that with a full complement of manly qualities the negro could and would make himself respected in every part of the republic qualities the negro could and would make him-self respected in every part of the republic. During the delivery of the address but two tersons (colored) left the room, and Mr. D. re-ferred to them, saying there were some whose brains were so limited they could not contain more than half the truth, and, having got their proportion, they showed their importance by leaving.

Washington Grove, Md., the camp-meeting ground, near Gaithersburg, on the Metropolitan Hailroad, has been replatted to accommodate those who wish to build. Cottages were erected last year for Major Morgan, R. H. Willett and Rev. W. Burnis. Cottages for John Ireland, of Annapolis, L. W. Worthington, and H. C. Craig have since been built, and there are in process of construction buildings for John W. Wade and Alfred Wood. Orders for cottages have been given by W. W. Buck, W. R. Woodward, E. F. Simpson, Thomas Somerville and others. These cottages are of neat design, inexpensive, and make very comfortable places for families in the summer. Several of them will likely be occupied before the camp meeting takes place. A comfortable preachers lodging, 18 by 40 feet, with parior and sleeping apartments, wash room and study, will be erected and the grounds are being put in fine order. The camp-meeting of 1879 will commence on Thursday, August 7th, and continue two weeks. WASHINGTON GROVE, MD., the camp-meeting and continue two weeks.

TWO MEN HURT BY THE FALL OF A SCAFFOLD. About 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon as several men were at work on a scaffold in front of a new building corner of 17th and K streets north-west, the scaffold gave way, precipitating two of the men—Charles Hope, a white bricklayer, and William Graham, a colored laborer—to the ground, a distance of about twenty-five feet. Hope was slightly injured about the head, and was of once removed to his residence on B street, between 1st and 2d streets northwest. The colored man was dangerously injured about the head and body. He was removed to the station-house by Officer Martin and Dr. Newman was sent for, who dressed his wounds and he was afterwards sent to his home in Willow Tree alley and subsequently to the Freedmen's Hospital, in the police ambulance.

THE WORKINGMEN'S BUILDING ASSOCIATION was organized last night and the following offi-John T. Kelly (lieutenant of police), president; Jeremiah O'Connor, vice president; John T. Lynch, secretary; T. D. Daly, treasurer; Thos. Broderick, B. Kilmartin, D. Fogarty, John J. Fuller, Peter McCartney, Timothy Costello and P. J. Reardon, directors. One thousand shares of stock were subscribed.

ALEXANDRIA FISH REPORT .- The Gazette of yesterday says: Business on the fish wharf continues to grow duller day by day and the receipts much lighter. Since yesterday there have been received only about 1,500 shad and 30,000 herrings. Shad brought \$7a\$9 per hundred and herrings sold at \$4 per thousand. Agents and others on the wharf are preparing

to settle up and vacate. A BABE CRUELLY MURDERED .- Yesterday afternoon the acting coroner, Dr. Hartigan, held an inquest on the body of the colored female in-fant found in the rear of house 1402 8 street yes-terday. There was a ribbon tied closely around its neck, and every indication that it had been choked to death, and the jury found that it came to its death from strangulation at the

hands of some person or persons unknown. DESSERT FOR WEEK'S LABORS .- Take a trip to Fortress Monroe on the splendid fast steamer Lady of the Lake every Saturday evening, at 6 o'clock; spend the Sabbath in the paviation or balconies of the Hygeia hotel, where you can enjoy a fine view of the ocean, and on your return Monday morning you will be a supply to the ocean, and on your return Monday morning you will be a supply a fine view of the ocean, and on your return Monday morning you will be a supply a supp turn Monday morning you will feel one hundred per cent. better fitted for another week's du-

REAL ESTATE SALE, - Messrs. Duncanson Bros. sold yesterday, for Henry Wise Garnett, trustee, lot G, in Wm. F. Fendall's subdivision of original lots 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, in square 916, situated on C street, between 5th and 9th streets northeast, to Frederick Lemmer, for 7% cents

THOMAS DOWLING Will sell to-morrow, in front of his auction rooms, a fine collection of house-hold goods, in which are several rare pieces of antique furniture, fine engravings and orna-

Positive closing sale of oil paintings at Dow-ling's auction rooms, corner 11th and Pennsyl-vania ave., this evening, at 7% o'clock. This will be the last chance to buy.

READY-MADE CLOTHING a specialty at A Straus', 1011 Pennsylvania avenue.

The Greer back-Labor Demonstration.

CELEBRATI AG CALIFORNIA'S NEW CONSTITUTION The Working men's demonstration to celebrate the a loption of the new state constitution of Cali ornia came off last night. About 7 o'clock a small crowd began to assemble in front of the City Hall, which did not increase much in size until Donch's band struck up the familiar air of "My Grandfather's Clock," and under direction of Mr. Hugh Coyle started off down 4% street to Pennsylvania avenue on the way to the boarding-house of Hon. Mr. Murch, of Maine.
All the loungers within hearing followed, and
by the time the band reached Mr. Murch's residence, on 13th, between G and H streets, several hundred persons were in the crowd. Here a halt was ordered and after the band had finished up "The Girl I Left Behind Me," which it had tackled after "Grandfather's Clock," Mr. John S. Mills, of Philadelphia, appeared on the balcony and in complimentary terms to MR. MURCH, OF MAINE,

introduced that gentlemen who made a very brief address to the workingmen, in which he

alluded to the adoption of the California con-

stitution as the most notable political event of the times, and said they had assembled to do honor to the occasion. His physical condition prevented any extended remarks, and after hanking the assembly of workingmen for honoring bim as their representative he with-drew, and the band returned to the Metropolitan notel where quite a large crowd had congregated. The first speaker introduced was HON. HENDRICK B. WRIGHT, OF PENNSYLVANIA, who said they had assembled to do honor to the most important political event which had ever occurred in the history of this government. The state of California, which had so long been at the mercy of wealthy corporations that a free expression of opinion by the citizens was thought to be impossible, had asserted itself by the adoption of a constitution which materially curtails the hitherto absolute powers of these corporations. [Applause.] He had not suffi-ciently examined the provisions of that constitution to be able to discuss its merits in detail, but he proceeded to name some of its general features, among them the eight-hour feature: the taxing of the incomes of the wealthy class from stocks, bonds and other evidences of indebtedness; limiting the powers of railroad corporations to their legitimate vecation-that of common carriers—and interdicting them from becoming land speculators; and the stop-

page of Chinese immigration. These things of most important events in our political history, in which the workingmen of the country will bear a more conspicuous part than ever before. The lesson taught by this victory indi-cates that the time is at hand when the working people will refuse to bend the knee and worship the golden calf. All that is necessary to extend this peaceful revolution all over the land is unity of action. Nothing more is required. Touching upon the question of franchise in the District of Columbia, he said he favored giving the right of voting for President and Vice President to every man in the District. To deny this right to our District citizens was absurd. There was no reason why the citizen here should be deprived of the right of suffrage, and he also favored giving the District a delegate in Congress. During his remarks he was frequently applauded.

OTHER SPEAKERS. Next followed Hon. James B. Weaver of Iowa, Hon. Nicholas Ford of Missouri, and Hop. E. H. Gillette of Iowa, all of whom spoke in the same strain.

Amusements, &c. THEATER COMIQUE.-This is the last week of

the regular season at the Comique, and the programme is very entertaining. TALMADGE HALL.—The Unity Club will give a musical and literary entertainment here this evening in aid of the Union Mission, at Police Court room. The following will participate:—
John Tweedale, Dr. E. A. Duncan, J. H. Rathbone, E. B. Hay, C. H. Rabbitt, J. H. Gibson,
Crypti Palmoni, W. S. Young, Mrs. W. S. Eaton,
Miss F. Hopkins, Mrs. Edward Daniels, Miss L.
Shannon, Mrs. M. A. Dennison, Mrs. H. A. McConnell, Miss E. P. Jordan, and Miss Nellie ODD FELLOWS' HALL .- A musical, literary and

dramatic entertairment will be given by Ca-lanthe Lodge, No. 11, K. of P., at Odd Fellows' hall, 7th street, this evening. CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH.—The cantata of Flora's Festival will be given at Cavalry Baptist church this evening. The vocal and instrumental talent is of high order, and a very attractive entertainment may be expected.

MARINI'S BALL.—Prot. Marini's twentieth annual May festival and ball will take place at Marini's hall next Tuesday evening. This ball is regarded as the great closing event of the social season. It is always largely attended.

DEEDS IN FEE have been filed as follows:—
Elizabeth Morphy to Ellen Leahy et al., part 22, of "Prospect;" \$220. Maria Frederich to John Appich, lots 20 and 21, of "Chichester;" \$470. John Appich to Maria Frederich, lots 21 and 22, of "Chichester;" \$470. Murphy, Harkness and Coombs, trustees, to Mary E. Harkness, part lots 5 ane 6, sq. 285: lots 32 and 33, sq. 465; lots 20 and 21, sq. 395; part lot 14, sq. 73, and part lot 2, sq. 104; \$—. Thos. Joyce to J. W. Starr, trustee, lot 23, sq. 1.042; \$300. Elizabeth H. Millight tee, lot 23, sq. 1,042; \$300. Elizabeth H. Millikin to Gilbert M. Wight, part of 12, sq. 489; \$—. George B. Herrick to Lewis C. Herrick, lot C, sub. of sq. 510; part lot 6, sq. 325; \$2,000. Allison C. Kidwell et al. to Wm. A. Kidwell, south half of lot 12, sq. 578; \$150. W. W. Corcoran to Jos. Anderson, lot 5, sq. 35; \$500. Fraucis Miller to Leon Teresa Jones, west half of lot 4, sq. 73; \$125.31. Mathilda Kohler to Frederick Kohle.; lot 1, sq. 305; \$5. S. A. Campbell to R. C. Hewitt lot 1, 54, 505; \$5. S. A. Campbell to R. C. Hewitt, lot 59, sq. 367; \$1,200. H. C. Alliman to W. N. Rosch, part lots 21, 22, 23, 24 and 25, sq. 24; \$6,000. Benjamin Scott to Alexander Davis, lot 29, section 7, subdivision "Barry farm;" \$200. Lewis C. Herrick to Harriet M. Herrick, undivided half lot 6, sq. 287; 11 and 11 and 12 and 13 and 14 and 15 a vided half lot 6, sq. 325; \$1,000. Kate R. K1-bourn to John O. Evans, part 2, sq. 5, and part 2, sq. 70; \$—; lots 31 to 43, sq. 181; \$—.

JUDGE SNELL'S NOTICE TO VIOLATORS OF SANITARY LAWS.—In disposing of a number of cases of nuisances before the Police Court this morning, Judge Snell made a statement, giving public notice that he would hold all parties brought before him for any violation of the sanitary regulations to a strict account in accordance. regulations to a strict account in accordance with law. The warm season is approaching, when it is essential for the good of the public that all nuisances detrimental to health be obliterated. No one desires to have an epidemic in our midst, and the best way is to prevent the condition of things which may develop it. No one reed expect any mercy of this court when careless or malicious violation of the sanitary rules and regulations is proven. Such carelessness and indifference on the part of housekeepers and others, expecially in the bot seems. ers and others, especially in the hot season of the year, is criminal; and nothing but a prompt administration of the law by the courts will check the evil. He would sustain the sanitary

officers in their duties in this particular. MRS. ANN McDevitt, widow of the late John McDevitt, died at her residence, on G street southwest, at 8:25 o'clock this morning, after a southwest, at 8:25 o'clock this morning, after a lingering illness of several months. She was about 68 years old, and has resided for many years in South Washington, where she had won the respect and esteem of a large circle of friends by her amiable qualities. All of her children—six daughters and one son—were with 'ar at the time of death. The funeral will ta place from St. Dominic's church, at 9 o'clock Monday morning next. o'clock Monday morning next.

THE KNIGHTS OF ST. AUGUSTINE COMMANDERY No. 2, have elected the following officers:—Commander, Wm. H. Smith; 1st deputy commander, Ananias Herbert; second deputy com-mander, Alexander B. Thomas; financial scribe Isaac Landic; recording scribe, Lewis B. Brown assistant recording scribe, James L. Green; captain general, William H. Smallwood; herald. Thomas W. Ingrabam; warden, Isaac B. Brown; governers: Horace Dyer, Jas. S. Butler, Henry A. Jackson, John F. Fletcher, Daniel Clark, Daniel Sprigg, Chaplain, Father Barotti.

CHARGE OF CONSPIRACY TO DEFRAUD. - Yesterday afternoon in the Criminal Court (Judge Hagner) the case of L. K. Lippincott, W. H. Grant and F. C. Brosseau, indicted for conspiracy to defraud, was argued on demurrer, raising the question as to the sufficiency of the indictment—the defence claiming that the inlictment charging conspiracy to defraud the United States will not lie, even if the letter on which the charge is based is fraudulent. De-

cision was reserved. GERMAN NATIONAL BANK AFFAIRS BEFORE THE GRAND JURY.—The grand jury have had before them recently the affairs of the German-American National Bank, and have taken the testimony of a number of the officers and employes, and of Mr. Keyser, the receiver, who yesterday produced a number of the books of the bank, and left statements as to its condition at certain stated times. The grand jury had the case in hand to-day.

BALTIMORE AND OHIO RAILROAD.-Change of schedule on Sunday, May 18th: Fast express to Baltimore at 8 a. m. daily, instead of 7:40 a.m., as now. An additional train for Baltimore and way stations at 3:30 p. m. daily, except Sundays. For Baltimore and local stations at 7 p. m. daily. in place of the present 6:50 p. m. train. Chicago and Pittsburg express leaves at 8:15 p. m.; and St. Louis and Cincinnati express at 11 p. m. Other trains as now.

WASHINGTON CITY CATTLE MARKET.—Queenstown Stock Yard, May 15, 1879, reported by Lewis D. Means & Co.—271 cattle sold at prices ranging from 4% to 5%c. per pound; 700 sheep and lambs—old sheep sold at prices ranging from 4 to 4%c. per pound; lambs from 6% to 6%c per pound; 250 shipped to Baltimore; 20 cows and calves sold from \$25 to \$50 each. Market slow.

THE BOY'S DELIGHT in these days, is to be permitted to select their clothing at the Boys' Clothing House of B. Robinson & Co., 909 Pennylvania avenue; and we might now state that this popular firm have received an immense stock in all the new and desirable styles for pring and summer wear, which they offer at

HARP PIANO AT AUCTION.—Thomas Dowling will sell to-morrow, at 12 o'clock, at his auction rooms, an antique piano, in the formation of a

District Government Affairs. District Commissioner Phelps is not so well to-day, and it is feared that his effort yesterday to attend to official duties was too much for him. He started this morning to the office at the Columbia buildings, but was compelled to

abandon the attempt. FILTHY ALLEYS. The health officer has addressed a note to the District Commissioners stating that, in view of the near approach of warm water and the necessity for taking every precaution to place our city in the best possible sanitary condition, he asks, if practicable, that steps be taken to have a general and thorough cleaning of all the alleys, both improved and unimproved, in the city. In many alleys there are large accumula-tions of flith and debris, avoided by the contractors for cleaning alleys, every heap of which invites further deposits from the surrounding yards and houses. If a thorough cleaning o these alleys could be once accomplished, a close supervision by the sanitary officers, in co-operation with the police, might be had, and further deposits be prevented

THE GREAT NORTHBAST SEWER. Specifications and proposals are being pre pared in the office of Engineer Commissione Twining for the construction of an intercepting sewer on the line of Boundary street, running from 8th street to the Eastern branch. It is designed with the view of cutting off the flow of surface or storm water running through the several natural water courses in the county down through our sewers in the city, thus re lieving the pressure on them, and especially upon the Tiber creek sewer, and preventing the periodical overflow into the low ground south and west of the Capitol. It is found that the capacity of the Tiber sewer is not sufficient to carry off this immense flow at all times, and not more than i required for the drainage of the limits within Boundary street. The section proposed to be constructed this season is the lower end, or mouth of the sewer, near the Eastern Branch. about 2,000 feet in length, the inside diameter of which will be 22 feet, and when completed will taper to a dlameter of 8 feet at 8th street The mouth or discharge will be upon the flats and will connect with the Eastern Branch channel by an open canal. The entire cost will, it is thought, be upwards of \$400,000.

BUILDING PERMITS issued by Inspector Entwisle:-Mrs. Shekells repair frame, Fayette, between 7th and 8th sts. Georgetown; \$-. M. A. Supple, repair frame, 404 G st. s.e.: \$30. Geo. Egloff, repair frame, A st. and Massachusetts ave. n.e.; \$50. M. Kaufman, repair frame, 911 10th st., between I and K sts. s.e.; \$25. B. C. Daughton, repair brick, 1009 Virginia ave. s.e.; \$150.

Washington Market, Retail Prices. MEATS .- Beef, sirloin, 20c. per lb.; do. porterhouse, 20a25c.; rib roast, 12a20c.; steak, 121/a20c.; Corned Beef, 8a10c.; Dried Beef, chipped, 25a30c. do., sliced, 20c.; Lamb, 18a25c.; Veal, 121/4 a20c. Mutton, 12% a15c.; Pork, 10% a12%c.; Sausage 12%c.; Bacon Hams, sugar cured, 12%c.; Should ers, 8a9c.; Breasts, 10a11c.; Lard, 8a10c. FRUITS.—Apples, 40a50c. per peck: Oranges, 20a40c. per doz.; Lemons, 20a40c.; Bananas, 40a

50c. doz.; Pine Apples, 15a25c. each; Straw-berries, 20a25c. per qt. Fish.—Perch, 40a50c. per bunch; Rock, large, 20a25c. per lb., 40a50c. per bunch; Rock, hige, per lb.; Mackerel, 20a25c.; Halibut, 15a20c.; Codfish, 10c.; Blue fish, 40a50c. per bunch; Taylers, 40a50c.; White fish, 15c. per lb.; Black bass. 15a20c. per lb.; Pike, 40a50c. each; Shad, 25a50c. per pair; Herring, 12c. per doz.; Taylors, 25 cents each; Clams, 50a60c. per 100; Lobster, 12c. per lb.; Scollops, 40c. per qt.
BUTTER.—Philadelphia Print, 35a40c. per lb.

Western Creamery, 20a30c.; New York, 25a30c.; roh, 20a30c.; Cheese, 12a20c.; Eggs, 12a15c. per VEGETABLES .- Potatoes, Irish, 40a50c, per peck; do. (new), 80a31; do., Sweet, 50a60c.; Cabbage, Salec.; do. (Early York.) 5aloc.; Beans. (Lima.) 12a15c. per qt.; Beets, 5a10c. per bunch; Kale, 10a15c. per peck; Lettuce, 2a5c. per head; Asparagus, Saloc. per bunch; Peas, 30a40c. per peck; Splnach, 15c. per peck; Radish, 3a5c. per bunch; Tomatoes, 15c. per basket; Turnips, 5a8c. per bunch; Onions, 60as0c. per peck; do. (Bermuda,) 80c.a\$1 per peck; do. Spring, 2a3c. per bunch; Sprouts, 20a25c. POULTRY.—Chickens, 752\$1.25 per pair; Ducks, 75c.a\$1 per pair; Turkeys, 16a18c. per lb.:

CERTIFICATES OF INCORPORATION FILED .- A Butler, W. T. Brown and Thornton Yeates. trustees of the Union cemetery of the First Colored Baptist church of Georgetown, have filed a certificate of their election in the office of the Recorder of Deeds. The certificate of Jabez Fox, John Hitz, H. C. Spencer, R. B. Donaldson and R. D. Mussey, trustees of the Washington Society of the New Jerusalem, has been filed. E. C. Ingersoll, Richard Shelley and Henry C Rogers have filed a certificate of the incorporation of the "American Refrigerating and Venti-

DRINKING CUPS WANTED. — Frequent complaints are being received from our citizens of the scarcity of drinking cups attached to public hydrants and pumps throughout the city, and by some it is stated that the absence of these cups is especially noticeable in the vicinity of drinking saloons. There should be a stringent law and prompt punishment of any one removlaw and prompt punishment of any one removing these drinking cups from the pumps without authority to do so. It is hoped that the District authorities will see that a supply is

MR. JOHN W. MAGILL is lying very low with dropsy at his residence on Iowa Circle, (13th and P streets,) and there are no hopes of his recovery. Mr. Magili has for twenty years past been engaged in the banking-house of Lewis Johnson & Co., and his many friends will regret to hear that his physician (Dr. Blatr) and his family regard his death as the question only of a few hours. This afternoon he was growing weaker, with no percentible change from which weaker, with no perceptible change from which they could get any hope.

THIEVES broke into the store of Mr. John H. Gates, on 11th street southeast, near the navy yard bridge last night, and stole about one hundred and fifty pounds of tobacco. They were discovered by private watchman Gibson as they were crossing the bridge into Uniontown. He notified Officers Arnold and Anderson who pursued them. They escaped into the county, but dropped their booty, which

CAUGHT.—This morning Detective McElfresh arrested George F. Chandler, the man who is charged with having obtained some clothing and a Schuetzen medal from the house of Mr. John A. Saller on a forged order, as set forth in yesterday's STAR. The medal and clothing, worth about \$15, were recovered. Chandler was locked up for a hearing. THE MARBLE SALOON HOMICIDE.-To-day in

the Criminal Court, Judge Hagner, Messrs. W. A. Cook and A. B. Williams, counsel for Samuel A. Emery, indicted for manslaughter in killing young Coombs at the Marble saloon, on Christmas day last, filed a motion that a day be set for trial, but it was not acted on. WASHINGTON FISH MARKET .- Sold by R. A

Golden, fish agent, since last report:—5,000 shad, from \$7 to \$9 per hundred; 65,000 herrings from \$4% to \$6 per thousand; 350 bunches rock and perch, from 30 to 40 cts. per bunch. MARRIAGE LICENSES have been issued to John

Hinson and Florence Harris; Morris Wright and Eliza Turner; George Gant and Anna John-son; Edward Smith and Annie Owens. PARDONED .- President Hayes to-day pardoned John Gibbs, convicted March 17th last and sentenced to four months in jail for assault and

DowLing will sell to-morrow, at 12 o'clock, in front of his auction rooms, a Remington breachloading shot gun. ALPACA and serge coats just received at A. Straus', 1011 Pennsylvania avenue.

HATTIE BRITTON'S SHOCKING DEATH. - MISS Hattle Britton lived with her parents, both invalids, in Hadden street, Peekskill, N. Y. At about 100 clock Tuesday night, as she was going down stairs after something for her mother she was taken with a fit, to which she was subject. and dropped the kerosene lamp, instantly setting fire to her clothes. From the traces of fire on the carpet it is evident that when she recovered herself she run across the room several times and then, maddened by the pain, burst open the door and ran for the house of the nearest neighbor. She gained the top step of the house and fell, with every piece of clothing

burnt from her body. She died about four hours afterward. STUDENTS' RIOT AT WOOSTER.-The sophomores and seniors of the Wooster University had a difficulty last Friday with the freshmen and juniors over their class hats and colors, and juniors over their class hats and colors, which culminated to-day noon in a most disgraceful fight on North Market street, about one hundred students participating. Revolvers were drawn, clubs used and a number knocked down, but fortunately no one was seriously injured. Citizens generally condemn the conduct of the students, a number of whom were arrested for violating city ordinances.—[Special to the Cincinnati Commercial.

A LAWYER COWHIDED. — A telegram from Terre Haute, Ind., May 15, says: This morning at Bloomington, in this state, John R. East state's attorney, severely cowhided Henry G Durant, a prominent lawyer of that town. The cowhiding took place in the court house yard and furnished plenty of amusement to a party of East's friends, who were the spectators. East accused Durant of having procured another lawyer to file charges against him, East, for irregularities in office. More trouble is anticipated

The "Pinafore" sticks to the stage because of the "merry, merry maid, and the tar;" particularly the tar .- [N. O. Pic. Clowns have deteriorated so much during the past twenty-five years that circuses are now

obliged to employ four of these stale jesters to make up the deficiency.—[Nor. Her. W. T. Gale, clerk, and E. T. Gibson, inspector of election at Long Swamp precinct, Fla., have been convicted of ballot-box trauds in the November election.

Trial for Perjury.

To-day, in the criminal court, Judge Hagner, the case of Fanny Smith, alias "Indian Fanny," was called-Mr. J. N. Oliver for defendant. She is indicted for perjury, in having sworn on the trial of Louise Wallace, convicted of the murder of her infant, in April, 1878, (and now under sentence of death), that she, Louisa Wallace, gave birth to a child at a house on the corner of New Jersey avenue and H streets, which it is claimed was false testimony. It was near noon claimed was false testimony. It was near noon

before a jury was obtained The first witness was B. P. Sparrow, the clerk who testified that the prisoner on the trial testifled that she was present on Palm Sunday when Louisa Wallace gave birth to a child. R. T. Taylor corroborated this testimony, and further said that the prisoner said it was at the house corner of New Jersey avenue and H Lieut. J. F. Kelly testified to the same effect as the preceding witnesses, giving Fanny smith's testimony more in detail. The testimony was in progress when our report closed.

THE COURTS. COURT IN GENERAL TERM. To-day, Smith agt. Chronicle Publishing Co.;

on hearing. CIRCUIT COURT—Judge MacArthur.
Yesterday, Levi agt. Cohen; verdict for defendant; Danaher vs. Downing; verdict for defendant for costs. Martin vs. Rumsey; judgment by default. Gates vs. Pratt; verdict for \$100 for plaintiff and costs. Emery vs. District of Columbia: verdict for defendant for costs by of Columbia; verdict for defendant for costs by instruction of the court.
To-day, White agt, Johnson; verdict for plaintiff. Little & Co. agt. Young; do. against F. A. Young. Howard agt. Carpenter; do.

CRIMINAL COURT-Judge Hagner. Yesterday, Hugh Strider, convicted of larceny, second offense; motion for a new trial filed. To-day, Samuel A. Emery, manslaughter; mo-tion filed to set a day for trial. Fanny Smith alias "Indian Fanny," perjury; on trial.

POLICE COURT-Judge Snell. To-day, Alice West, street profanity; \$5. Geo. Jones, disturbing the quiet of Georgetown: \$5 Archie Hill was sent down for vagrancy. Chas. Fox, maintaining a nuisance-unclean privy; personal recognizance. Kate Pierce and Kate Howard, loud and boisterous; \$5 each. Patrick Sullivan, maintaining a nuisance; personal recognizance to remove the same. Jeremian O'Connell, same charge; personal bonds to remove. Wm. Ryan, same charge; personal bonds to remove nulsance. Maurice Hodnett, same charge; bonds to remove same. Nathaniel Weaver, same charge; personal bonds to remove nuisance. Frank Douglass carrying a knife concealed on his person; \$20 or 30 days in the workhouse. Albert Behrend, charged with being an unlicensed produce dealer; \$5 and costs in addition to the license tax of \$200. Appeal noted. Mary Jones alias Taylor, colored, assault and battery on a little daughter of a Mrs. Geo. O. Miller. Mary is a servant in the house of Mrs. M., and in a fit of passion abused the child; \$3. Ella Holmes, assault on Charles H. Dorsey, both colored; \$1. Samuel Alexander, assault on Lavina Cale, both colored; \$5. Maud Hamilton, Charged with using profane language; \$5. Eliza Settler, assault on Alice Bell, both colored. Eliza settled Alice with a pop bottle, striking her in the left eye, and bruising it. Eliza testified in her own behalf, saying that Alice was mistaken-that it was a colored man, named Sam Patch, who struck her with the pop bottle. The testimony was so conflicting that the court dismissed the case. June Brown, assault on a small colored boy, named Samuel Fowl, choking him very severely; \$1.

MISCEGENATION IN INDIANA .- A telegram from Terre Haute, May 15, says: "Eight persons were arrested here this afternoon charged with miscegenation, being married contrary to the laws of the state of Indiana. They are William Nelson, Daniel Williams, John Thomas and William Price, all colored men; Elizabeth Butler, Maggie Butler, Annie Johnson and Kate Kennedy, all white women. They are now lodged in jail, and numerous other arrests for the same offence will be made to-morrow. The grand jury also indicted Revs. Robert Jeffries and William H. Anderson, two of the most noted colored preachers in the west, for marry-ing them. Considerable excitement prevails among the colored people in consequence of the indictments against the reverend gentlemen.

HOARDED SILVER.-Two weeks ago an old lady from the back country visited the First National Bank of Fishkill Landing, and brought with her \$450 in silver coin, about \$350 of it being American, the rest of foreign coinages. They were mostly half-dollar pieces and many of them quite ancient. The oldest American coin was a half-dollar of 1764, walle some Spanish coins were over one hundred years old. There were two Spanish pieces of 1795. There coins had been saved all through the late war, when they would have brought twice their face value, and were now disposed of at par .-[Poughkeepsie Eagle.

WHAT STANLEY IS DOING.—News has arrived by the last mail from Zanzibar that Mr. H. M. Stanley is busily occupied in engaging porters for a journey into the interior of Africa, but that he preserves the utmost secrecy as to his irtended movements. A rumor is current among the porters that their journey is to commence from the west coast. If this be the care, Mr. Stanley must have introduced a radical change into the original plans of the Belgian section of the International African Association, for whom he is believed to be acting. That, accidents apart, he will be more successful than the unfortunate leaders of the first Belgian expedition few will be so rash as to doubt, and he is sure to have good and sufficient reasons for the course he is adopting.—[Nature.

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY of the Presbyterian Church (South) met in Louisville, Ky., yester-day. One hundred and twenty-five commisday. One hundred and twenty-live commis-sioners were present. Rev. Dr. T. E. Peck, of Va., the retiring moderator, delivered the open-ing sermon. Rev. Dr. Joseph Wilson, of Wil-mington, N. C., was then elected moderator. He had been stated clerk of the assembly thirty years. Rev. Dr. R. T. Burling was re-elected temporary clerk.

An Italian Physician, Dr. Chiappelli, says that he has frequently noticed in patients who were apparently very far from death an extraordinary opening of the eyelids, so as to give the eyes the appearance of protruding from the orbits, which was invariably a sign that death would occur within twenty-four hours. In some cases only one eye is wide open, while the other remains normal; here death will not follow quite so rapidly, but in about a week or so. The author is utterly at a loss to explain this symptom, and ascribes it to some diseased state of the sympathetic nerve. the sympathetic nerve.

THE APPROACHING TRIAL Of Miss Lillie Duer for killing Miss Ella Hearn in Pocomoke City in November last is recalling public interest in the details of the tragedy. The case will be heard at the May term of the circuit court of Worcester county. The shooting was occasioned by the deceased repulsing Miss Duer's demonstra-tions of affection and loving another young lady better. This, with the fact that the young lady who did the shooting sought for years the private companionship of the other, together with several other interesting revelations, shows a manliness which might never have excited remark but for the passion and tragedy it led to.

JACOB STAEMPFLI, a well-known Swiss politi-cian, and in 1861 president of the Swiss confed-eration, and subsequently a member of the Geneva court of arbitration on the Alabama claims, is dead, in his 60th year. He was one of the chiefs of the radical party and at one time editor of the Berne Gazette. He retired from public life in 1865.

An exchange says that John Barkey, ninety years of age, formerly of Windsor, P.L., left several days ago for Kansas, where he pects to "grow up with the country." A man and wife in Tipton, Ind., agreed to separate. Their property was divided, piece by piece, until nothing was left but a baby and a cow. The husband gave the wife her choice, and

she took the cow. It isn't the frail delicate girl, with the soft, gazelle-like eye, that the divine afflatus of spring poetry rests upon. Not at all. The genius of rhyme and rhythm is more often found in the robust and somewhat wrinkled maiden of 40 summers, with a good appetite and superb digestion. Young men, beware of the rhyming female. She is the most expensive kind to feed.—[New Haven Register.

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Building Association.—At the twenty-second regular monthly meeting of the Twelfth Building Association, held last night at Goddard's Hall, \$2,250 was sold, being fifteen shares at the maximum rate of \$150 per share.
THE DASHAWAY CLUB held its weekly meet-

ing at High-street Market Hall last night, a large audience being present; Mr. John Berry, president, in the chair, and Mr. Cumberland leading the singing. Addresses were made by Mr. John T. Mitchell and Mrs. J. McKendree

GRAIN.—Arrived, by canal, boat Loudoun, with 2,500 bushels of wheat and 1,000 bushels of corn. By rail, 700 bushels wheat. MERCHANTS' EXCHANGE .- Offerings on 'change to-day were 3,200 bushels of wheat, with sales ranging from \$1.05 to \$1.20 per bushel.

PORT. — Entered — Schooner Nellie Treate,
Captain Charles H. Dow, with 330 tons of asphalt for Watson & Sons. AN EVENT WITHOUT A PARALLEL in the history

of the Protestant Episcopal Church in this country took place at St. Clement's church, in Philadelphia last Wednesday, when a requiem mass for the repose of the soul of Dr. James Dekoven, who died recently at Racine, Wis., was celebrated with great ceremony. paraphernalia used was very similar to that used in the Roman Catholic-Church. The ritualistic practices of this church, it will be remembered, were condemned by the Protestant Episcopal convention recently in session in Philadelphia.

A MEAN MAN.—Once upon a time, according to a correspondent of the Chicago Tribune, Jake Mason went to a donation party where six far-mers were to contribute a jug of milk apiece. Well, one man—a very mean man—this mean man was Jake Mason-thought it would not make any difference if he contributed water in place of milk; so he filled his jug with water and took it to the donation. When he got there, he turned it over the bung and it ran into a barrel where all the other farmers had poured their milk. Now, what do you think was the result? Why, every one of the six farmers happened to be as mean as Jake Mason. They had all brought water.

The writer of a letter in the London Times points out that an ounce of bread wasted daily in each household in England and Wales means about 25,000,000 quartern loaves, the produce of 30,000 acres of wheat in a year; while an ounce a week of meat wasted amounts to some 300,000 sheep.

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